

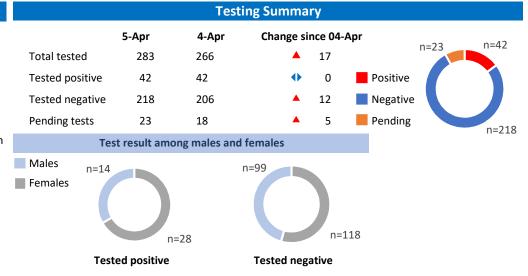
VIDOH 2020 COVID-19 Response Report date: April 05, 2020

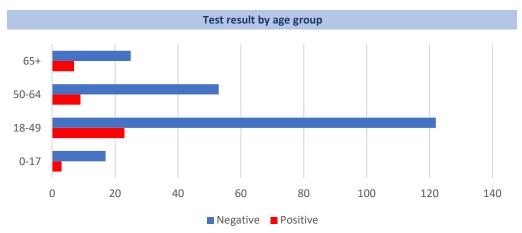


USVI Response Measures

1. Prevent, delay, and mitigate transmission: Develop screening at ports of entry; provide best practices and guidance to organizations to reduce transmission; develop strategies for vulnerable populations.

- 2. Conduct surveillance: Inform the response based on epidemiologic data; liaise with healthcare sector to identify cases and define clinical and transmission characteristics; operate epi hotline; track persons under investigation; perform contact tracing of cases; conduct follow-up sampling of cases; coordinate with lab on specimens.
- **3. Provide public health & safety messaging:** Develop communication strategy; build capacity with partners; provide daily .
- **4. Provide medical guidance**: Provide Infection Prevention and Control guidance related to healthcare personnel and health systems; provide guidance to clinicians regarding treatment and management of patients;
- **5. Conduct lab testing**: Build laboratory testing capacity for VIDOH; explore external laboratory capacity; manage specimen collection; and manage lab supplies.
- **6. Coordinate medical surge capacity**: Assess resource needs and inventory resources (equipment, supplies, staff); develop a health and medical staffing strategy: prepare resource requests for material aid and staff (federal partner, EMAC, etc); develop resource management, utilization, and prioritization plan (PPE, staffing).





Sample collection dates of persons under investigation for COVID-19 in the U.S. Virgin Islands

Ilnesses that started during this

time may not yet be reported 30 25 20 Number of PUIs 10 5 0 9-Feb 8-Mar 15-Mar 22-Mar 29-Mar 26-Jan 2-Feb 16-Feb 23-Feb 1-Mar Date of specimen collection

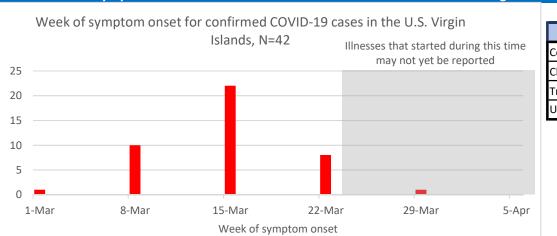
■ Negative ■ Pending ■ Positive

Contact Numbers: Hotline

Informational Hotline (non-medical 8am-8pm) Hosted by VITEMA: 340-715-6843

> Potential PUIs only 8am-10pm **STX:** (340) 712-6299 **STT/STJ**: (340) 776-1519

Symptom onset dates for confirmed COVID-19 cases in the U.S. Virgin Islands, N=42

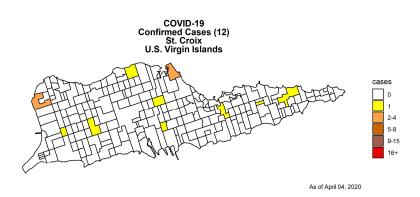


Risk factors for COVID19		
Community transmission	11	
Close contact	10	
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Jnder investigation	3	

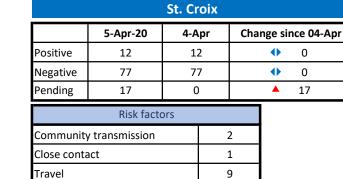
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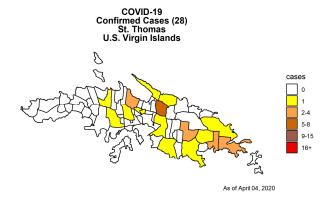
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Count of confirmed cases



Under investigation



St. Thomas			
	5-Apr	4-Apr	Change since 04-Apr
Positive	28	28	• 0
Negative	132	121	1 1
Pending	4	15	▼ -11

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COVID-19 Confirmed Cases (2) St. John U.S. Virgin Islands	
	cases 0 1 2-4 5-8 9-15 16+

As of April 04, 2020

Risk factors		
Community transmission	9	
Close contact	9	
Travel	7	
Under investigation	3	

St. John				
	5-Apr	4-Apr	Change since 04-Apr	
Positive	2	2	♦ 0	
Negative	9	8	^ 1	
Pending	2	3	▼ -1	

Risk factors	
Community transmission	0
Close contact	0
Travel	2
Under investigation	0